No Minister in Party to Pray.

Brant for Mayor, Gaynor for Clerk.

Morrow for Treasurer, VanHorn for Justice.

Meat of the Convention Speeches. Chairman Miller -"We are the plain people of Henton Harbor. We have not even one minister with us tonight lead in prayer. They were all at republican convention. But, genmen, God is with us and we are go-

'. M. Van Horn in nominating Mr. nt for mayor: "We are not here to uss national affairs nor national We are not here to discuss polibut the citizens of Benton Harbor s requested us to nominate a ticket at may be placed in the balance and be found wanting.

R. I. Jarvis in nominating Mr. Gayfor clerk: "Iwo years ago I had e honor of nominating the first demotic mayor of Benton Harbor. Toght I will nominate the first demoatic clerk of the city.

W. C. Hicks in nominating Mr Morrow for treasurer: "I have alwaylieved that the two parties should meet in public and discuss the local eues in a municipal campaign and I think so yet. If this had been done do you suppose we would have given away valuable franchises for long terms? will nominate a man for treasurer against whom there can be no objection either in heaven or among men man to whom no republican will object and to whom no democrat should. A man who will fill the office faithfully and well and if he gives no bond at all the city would never feel unsafe a

Attorney L. A. Wilson in nominating r. Van Horn for justice of the peace: has been suggested that a justice eace ought to be a lawyer. That is The chief qualities n for the position is what we call

he democratic city convention put following ticket in the field last ning, each candidate receiving the Chination without opposition:

EDWARD BRANT for mayor. Mr. Brant was elected mayor of the city in 1898, defeating Fred A. Hobbs, republican. In 1899 he was again the demo- fought the battle of the people and cratic candidate and was defeated by Mayor Rowe. He gave a good administration of the office and is far the strongest candidate the democrats could name. He is the owner of Hotel Venton and one of the heaviest taxyers in the city.

JOHN GAYNOR for city clerk. Mr. yoor is a bookkeeper at the wholee grovery house of Kidd, Dater & sition for which he has been named. MONROE H MORROW for treasurer. Mr. Morrow has served the city as alderman and is the senior member of the prosperous grocery house of Morrow & Stone Mr. Morrow was a gold democrat in 1896 and his nomination will unite the factions of the party

F. M. VAN HORN for justice of the uninframe v lease. Mr Van Horn was one of the **frganizers** of the literature insurance company of this city and its at the sent lengaged in the real of attentioners for a livelihood and is president of Mica.

features of the democratic city conven- legal con was chosen tion last night. What was from beginning to end a happy time came Within an ace of breaking up in a row, | under without the consent of the The of the enthusiasts wanted to put other, and ripped up the expansionists ecity democracy on record as dis-

WeBryan was the Lincoln and Jef Jefferson and Lincoln of the age thanks this day combined in one. The us during trepared to get into their beloved vellars when the resolution

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one after another by Attorney Hicks THE WEATHER saved the cloud from breaking. The convention was composed of silver and gold democrats and this was the first time they had communed together since the frost of '96. It was wisely agreed that this was not the time to REPORT ADOPTED. "rub it in."

The convention was called to order by City Chairman Austin. People who attended the city conventions of both parties agree that the democrats had more oratory and eloquence put in their nominating speeches than did the republicans.

Attorney Hicks claimed the floor as soon as the call was read and he predicted victory if the proper ticket was nominated. A healthy opposition in the city council, he said. was a good thing for the interests of the city.

Upon being elected Chairman J. J. Miller said that he would talk as he never did before. He roasted ex-Mayor Plummer for the war speech he made at the republican city convention and added that the democrats did not believe in abusing anyone. He predicted success for the ticket and a great boom

for the city.

Frank V. Eastman was chosen secretary and Dr. Freemyer, George Barber, Richard Newton and Joseph Frick

F. M. VanHorn then placed Edward Brant in nomination for mayor. He said he would nominate a mayor that was remembered by every taxpayer who was not required to pay the treasurer a fee this year when he went up to pay his taxes. His candidate in one year, he said, had reduced the indebtedness of the city \$10,000.

The nomination was supported by Attorney L. A. Wilson, who made a polished speech and is counted as one of the best of the recent additions to the party here. Mr. Wilson said he every democrat, and every republican of the city as well. Mr Brant was the strongest democrat and would make the best mayor. He referred to Brant's year's administration as mayor and ety, your selection of president, finrepeated the assertion that Brant had saved the city \$10,000 in a single year He spoke eloquently of the way Mr. Brant opened his heart and his house when the soldiers of Company I return- pended our signature to the constitued from Cuba He, too, predicted victory. Nominated unanimously.

R. I. Jarvis named John Gaynor for clerk and declared that if men of Mr. Gaynor's ability had always been in charge of the city's books that the services of an expert would never have been required. Mr. Jarvis harped on the 16 to 1 string and said that Mr. Gaynor was right on that point. Nommated unamiously.

Mr. Gaynor was called for and made fair to ask him to speak. The position round the cabin of the old "Oregon" ecessary and it is a rule that the of clerk would require him to keep was the means of bringing in a few bublicans of Benton Harbor have not track of what the others were doing dollars for the humane society. It ways followed. The chief qualification and not to talk himself. After thank, seems too bad the little Spaniard could ing the convention he promised, if not have lived to continue the good elected, that he would remember that his employers were the results of the city will take wishes for its results of the best talent of the city will take part. Admission ten cents. they were entitled to same respect as deat many a hard blow to cruelty. were individual employers.

In nominating Mr. Morrow for treasurer Attorney Hickstold of the struggles of Mayor Brant when his hands were tied by the council, and how he was deprived of saying a word about the street ousiness. Yet he knocked out the custom of the city treasurer taking fees that did not belong to him. Some said it was a small matter to deprive the treasurer of the percentage, a small matter not to let a man take what didn't belong to him. He said that Mr. Morrow was so largely identified with the business inmade unanimous.

Mr. Morrow was called for. He said:

Horn for justice and lauded the abilities band that he was presented with a of that gentleman sky high. He pre- check for som on the oceasion of his dieted that Van would add strength to wedding, the donors being white the ticket already named. Nominated (Marsh, and Sutton) that Sutton iden-

Mr. Van Horn was caused. He said tes and that he was gerne out after

Then came the resolution offered to of no man was good enough to how mulin vicerous sty e. He paid his respects

It stunned the delegates Joseph Harsen was the first to recover and the transaction for less than \$10,000. he moved that the resolution be tabled | This he reported to White, who replied until fall. R. I. Jarvis was on his feebut the points of order raised and declared that he could not see why t should not pass. He did not believe that any republican was so thin-skinned, but he got no farther until interrupted by Attorney Hicks who claimed that to handle the deal for one-third of Jarvis was out of order Mr. Barnes said the convention was called to name a city tickes and didn't believe in doing anything else.

> The storm was coming up. Mr. Eastman saw his mistake and withdrew the resolution. The local democracs vent home with but a single though and with two hundred hearts that be:

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Meals on Election Day.

The ladies of the Chaistian church will serve dinner and supper on election day in the G. A. R. hall. 61149

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FORECAST.

Fair tonight with warmer north and west portion. Sunday partly cloudy.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Washington, March 24.-The house today adopted the conference report on the Porto Rican relief bill by a vote of people of India. The Baptist Mission

PAYS FOR CHARTER

Capt. Clark of Steamer Oregon Interested in Humane Society.

The Berrien county humane society held a meeting in the office of Hon. Thomas O'Hara last night and among the admission of ninety new members, the majority of which were from Buchanan and vicinity.

tendent and he resigned from the charity or they will die." board of directors. Dr. Greenameyer of Niles was elected a member of the board of directors to take the place of Mr. Whitehead. Mrs. May D. Pearl was elected to the office of treasurer.

The funds of the old humane society, amounting to \$29.49, was turned over to the new organization which now has in its treasury about \$135.

The following letter from Capt. Charles A. Clark, of the steamer Oregon, was read and it is evident the supported the nomination on behalf of captain is very much interested in the

"I am pleased to note what you say about the nex County Hemane Socilon You say that the charter cost Novel Entertainment at Congregational Judge O'Hara, whose strong, kindly face I remember so well, and who I know will stand for the principles of humanaly on the broadest grounds, and fer him for the society the paid-up charter. As long as I an a resident of Michigan I shall be g'ad to send a small contribution every year. It pleases me to think that the little a good impression. He said it was un- kitten, "Cristobal," that used to play his employers were the people and that wishes for its prosperity and may it

MORE EVIDENCE HEARD.

Progress of the Trial of Ex-Inspector General Marsh at Lausing, Mich.

Lansing, Mich., March 24. - The prosecution in the trial conscionspector General Marsh finished taking the testimony of ex-Assistant Adjt. Gen. Smith Friday. When the witness was turned over to the defense Marsh's attorneys dismissed him, terests of the city that he would make after asking only a few perfonctory se grocery house of Kidd. Dater N an ideal treasurer. The nomination questions about his official appointage and is a competent man to fill the was supported by J. E. Barnes and was ment. Smith testified to various conment. Smith testified to various conversations had with Gens. White and Marsh and Col. Sutton, relating "I never made a speech in my life. I to the alleged conspiracy of these have nothing against anybody." L. A. Wilson nominated F. M. Van | men to defrand the state. Witness titled him at the bank in Detroit with a the obook was a dies and see elect a home dest 225 regentriese. That evices he thousand him outton re-THE L. "Plant is not round Don't say ! structhing about it? The three, he we expet a congan barbers' commission as a pastene constraint and it took three barrots to paid, veried witness' home often and drea from ercopate.

or Eastman. He quotes from Line in ed the negotiations for the Kalamazoo concern which bought and resold the goods in question, testified that Gen. (White first offered the Hendersonto "Emperor William McKinley" and Ames company \$3,000 to handle the ers of the fact that William Jen- pictured Bryan as the Washington, deal. Bickenstaff said he submitted the proposition to his superiors, who decided that they could not handle that Marsh and Sutton were in the deal on his side, and that therefore he could not afford to pay so much. Witness said his company then agreed the estimated \$20,000 profit. Bickenstaff testified that White told him he would be informed of the bids received for the supplies, so that he could bid over them. He told of the division of the profits in Grand Rapids, saving Marsh received his share from White's time. hands. Col. Sutton was not present at . mentioned.

Wisconsin Central Railway.

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COLLECTIONS FOR STARVING INDIA.

WILL BE TAKEN IN TWO CITY CHURCHES TOMORROW.

At the Baptist and Congregational churches Sunday morning collections will be taken for the famine stricken ary Magazine for April says:

"It is already the most extensive and severe famine which has visited that famine-stricken land within the age of

Districts like Guzerat, which have never been visited by famine before, are now among the most afflicted portions. The territary affected has a population of 60.000,000. * * * Immense numbers of cattle have perished. * * * The destitution is appalling beyond the power of words to describe.

"The government is taking vigorous the several interesting things done was and earnest measures to relieve the suffering by means of relief works, by which those who have strength are able to earn a small wage, enough to keep themselves alive. But multitudes Charles W. Whitehead of this city of children and those too feeble to was elected to the office of superin- work must be provided with food by

LEFT FOR CHICAGO.

Steamer City of Louisville Made Her Way Through the Ice.

The steamer City of Louisville which has been at this port for a week past on account of the ice which blocked the entrance to the St Joseph harbor succeeded in breaking her way through cors of the Berrien county humane this morning about ten o'clock and in probability arrived at her dock in Chicago this afternoon.

The wind is carrying the ice out in the lake and no further trouble is ex-

WAXWORKS NEXT WEEK.

Church.

The Wax Works to be exhibited at the Congregational church on next Wednesday night, are not Mrs. Jarley's, but are no less famous than that celebrated woman's. The owner, Prof. Sam Slick, has had the hor or of exhibiting these life like wax figures before all the crowned heads of Europe, Asia and Africa, from whom he has received the highest testimonials of their appreciation, both in letters and jewels. Besides this attraction, there will be readings and music, in which some of

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Carr of Cassopolis will hold Judge Coolidge. There is no special reason for the change except that last February Judge Coolidge relieved Judge Carr for a week and now Judge Carr will return the favor.

The case of John Erdman vs Edmund Glavin will again be taken up next Monday.

GRAIN MARKET.

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There were no telephones in Shakespeare's cay, or he would have realized that two-thirds of an hour is a long

What would the Bard of Avon say this meeting, and Bickenstaff said he if he were to revisit the earth and becould not remember that his name was hold the wonders of the in-coming Twentieth Century, the most marvelous of which is the telephone? With the time, time in can talk and receive an answer in FORTY SEC-



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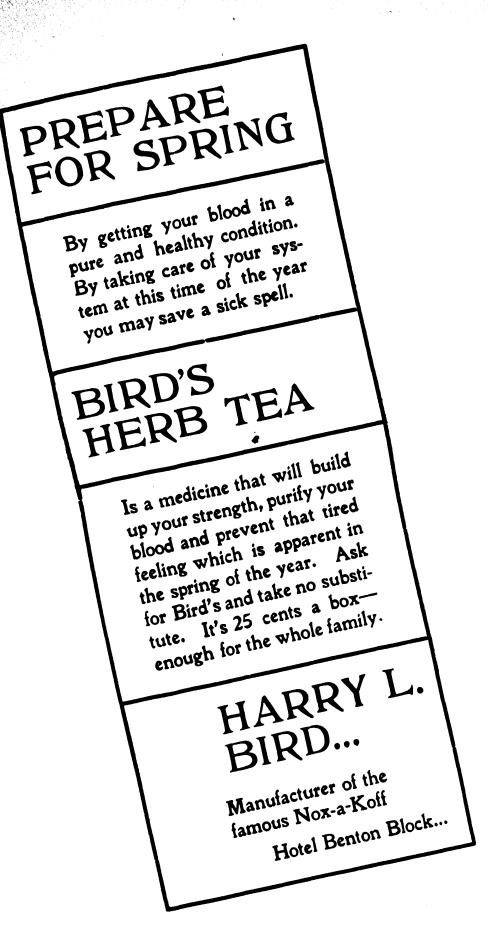
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ther Of Than Ever-Gen. French's Troops Said to Be Kept Builly Engaged.

HE RETREATS TO CROCODILE POOL.

London, March 24.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Lorenzo Marques. dated Friday, says: "It is reported here from Pretoria that Commandant Eloff is isolating Col. Plumer's forces near Gaberones.

Forced to Retrent.

London, March 24.—The war office has issued the following from the general at Cape Town to the secretary of

Cape Town, March 23. - The following telegram has arrived from Nicholson, Buluwayo, March 16: "The following is from Plumer, Lobatsi, March 14: The Boers advanced from the south in considlittle engagement Lieut. Col. Bodle's advanced from Goodes Siding. After a sharp little engagement Lieut. Col. Bodles advanced post was compelled to retreat. The retirement was excellently carried out to our main position. The casualties included Lieut. Chapman and a corporal, prisoners, and two missing, probably prisoners. Fivo troopers were wounded. Chapman's horse fell with him close to the enemy, who immediately surrounded him. The exact Boer casualties are unknown, but several were shot at short range. In the afternoon the Boers advanced further north and shelled our position from a ridge on our left. Our 12% pounder replied, the artillery duel continuing until sunset. Lieut. A. J. Tyler has since died of wounds. One na-

Roberts' Army Waiting. London, March 24.-Lord Roberts' main army continues waiting at Ploemfontein. The sentimental interest in the fate of Mafeking has intensified with Col. Plumer's forced

weekly review of trade says: "In its first week of operation the new monetary bill has given satisfaction at the treasury and to banks. Applications for new two per cents. have exceeded \$106,000,000, and the net increase in bank circulation is already over \$10,000,000. As the rate at which new circulation can be issued is limited, except for banks which gave orders in advance of the passage of the bill and the issues at first are largely for the increase of notes to the par value of bonds deposited, little can yet be inferred regarding the other increase, though applications indi-cate that it will be large for interior banks. The release of millions employed in preparation for action under the new measure has caused in bank returns considerable changes, which are nominal rather than real, and the money markets are undis-

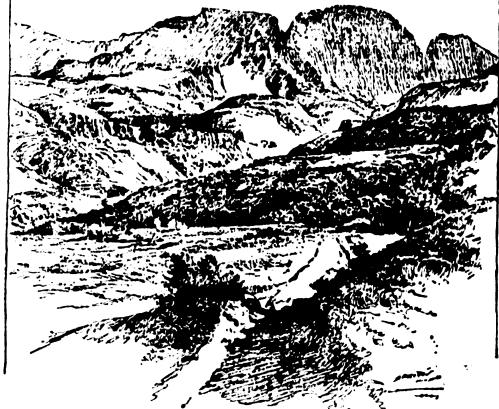
"The reported settlement of the Carne gie-Frick controversy is of the greatest importance to the iron and steel industry. A fight between such forces would in the end have affected prices and values beyond calculation, while the combination of interests now said to be agreed upon may prove revolutionary in its influence. Whether markets will be immediately affected is not clear. As yet the tendency toward reaction of prices continues.

"The advance in wheat which followed statements of the quantity in farmers' hands has not been amintained and the decline the past week has been 1%c, corn also yielding about 14c.

"Failures for the week have been 183 in the United States against 200 last year, and

T in Canada against 24 last year." Bradstreet's says: "Some few irregularities are visible in the general trade and industrial situation, the results of the workings of counter currents in various lines, but taken as a whole the general outlook retains most of the encouraging features noted for some time past in these columns. Favorable reports as to retail distribution western and northwestern markets, due to better weather. Continued good railroad returns, record-breaking merchandise exports from New York with signs of a resumption of heavy shipments of iron to Europe; and good wheat and fruit crop reports, except from the central west, are also features.

"An unfavorable element is the predic tion of a general strike of machinists, but t is possible that more than its proper



The Boers have splendid fortifications here and they are expected to make their strongest resistance to the advance of the British troops to Pretoria at this point.

retirement to Crocodile Pools, where the north now dwindles to improbability. Lord Methuen is skirmishing with the Boers at Warrenton, 167 miles away. Although seemingly in force sufficient to do pretty much as he likes, he has not advanced these five

French's Troops Fighting. Gen. French's cavalry and mounted infantry, according to a rumor, are fighting somewhere east of Bloemfontein. This suggests more Boer bad news, as Commandant Olivier's commando, with 2,000 wagons, is reported on the Basutoland frontier, toiling northward toward Kloonstad, via Ladybrand. This enormous wagon train is supposed to be moving 25 miles a day. Gen. French's cavalry posts stretch from Bloemfontein eastward

to the mountains. Hebellion Suppressed.

Bloemfontein, Thursday, March 22. —The rebellion in the Prieska district has been suppressed and Lord Kitchen-

er is returning here. Methuen's Position.

London, March 24.-A dispatch to the Daily News from Warrenton, dated Thursday, describing Lord Methuen's position there, says:

"A small flanking force sent through Boshof secured an important crossing, where the ferry had been destroyed, but foreseeing this Lord Methuen had another pont built, which is ready to be sent thither when an advance is considered opportune. The cavalry and infantry column is en route for this point. Thus the position of the Boers at Fourteen Streams is tormidably threatened. Lord Methuen's advance has not been hurried to the relief of Mafeking, where the pressure apparently has been relaxed as a result of operations elsewhere, but he is confident of his ability to push aside the opposition on the Vaal river when the proper time comes.'

Steyn Reported Deposed. Springfontein, March 24.-It is reported here that Mr. Steyn has been deposed from the presidency and that

Assessment Increased.

tee at Kroonstad.

Des Moines, Ia., March 24.—The state executive council fixed the railway assessment at \$46,000,000, which is an increase of \$1,500,000 over last year. The assessment on the old roads was reduced about \$150,000, and the new roads were assessed at about \$1.650,000. The Chicago & Northwestern assessment was raised \$90,000, while the Rock Island and Burlington assessments were reduced \$250,000 each.

Mules for South Africa.

New Orleans, March 24.—The steamer Hyades sailed Friday for South Afgovernment.

weight has been given this threatened he was two months ago. Relief from trouble. As offsets to this threatened trouble might be cited the settlements of differences among the lake ore handlers, a vital point in the immense business looked for the coming spring and summer. Adivances in wages of soft coal miners, of stove molders and of other workers allied to the iron and steel industry would seem to point to labor conditions retaining most of the favorable features which have made them subjects of favorable remark on the present prosperity wave. Foreign demand seems likely to play a most important part in the iron and steel industries judging from the reports of advancing foreign markets and of increasing inquiries upon

manufacturers." THREE MEN KILLED.

Terrible Result of a Boiler Explosion in a Sawmill Near Muncie, Ind.

Muncie, Ind., March 24.—The James Nickum sawmill, six miles southwest of Muncie, was destroyed by a fearful explosion Friday evening. Three men are dead, one will die and three others were injured. The dead are Thomas Sullivan, Lon Van Buskirk and Marion Carey. Young Van Buskirk's head was blown off and his body terribly mutilated. Clifford Van Buskirk will die. The injured are James Dragstrim, shoulder crushed and arm broken; James McCreary, leg broken and injured internally; Will Green, head split open and leg broken. The explosion resulted from the water pump becoming broken when the boiler had on a full head of steam. The engineer and proprietor had just discovered the trouble and Nickum had gone to the blacksmith shop to get repairs. This saved his life, but the building he was in was buried in debris. The boiler split in three parts and went in as many directions from one to three hundred yards.

Erne Whips Gans.

New York, March 24.—Fra .. Erne, the public affairs of the Free State of Buffalo, successfully defended his are being administered by a commit- title of light weight champion of the world against Joe Gans (colored), of Baltimore, before the Broadway Athletic club Friday night. Erne did most of the heavy fighting, displaying better judgment and more skill than his opponent. Gans received his punishment gamely until the twelfth round, when his left eye was started from its socket by a terrific righthand swing from the Buffalo boy, Gans was helpless and there was no alternative for the referee but to award the decision to Erne.

Hotel for Women. Albany, N. Y., March 24.—The Wome an's Hotel company of New York city has been incorporated with a capital rica with 1,050 mules for the British of \$400,000, to operate a hotel exclusively for women.

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Object of the Event to Strengthen Fellowship Among the Members.

Members of the Benton Harbor

Young Men's Christian association to the number of fifty and the members of the board of directors were given banquet at the association rooms last evening by the folgying members of the ladies' auxil-Mrs. Jether Johnson, Mrs. John Il. Mrs. George Morton, Mrs. J. H. Mrs. W. J. Davis, Mrs. Ray Blaken and Mrs. Samuel Gentle. The au was an excellent one and coned of oysters, escalloped potatoes, ads, sandwiches, coffee, etc.

red Hinkley was assigned the toast, ounder, and Early Work of the Assiation." In an interesting way be called the life work of George Will ns and the struggles of the early days the association. The first associan was started in 1844 and ten years later the first associations were started in America, one in Montreal and one in

Rex Averill spoke on the "Associa-tion Member." He believed that the chief fault with the association members was their selfishness. They were themselves satisfied to enjoy the privileges of the association but were too little concerned about trying to see that other young men were made acquainted with its privileges and its

Secretary Burrucker spoke of the Bible in the Association." tne study of the bible was confined to the theological seminary and the pasor's study out that its study was alwe a recognized feature of associavork and that the study of the ras now on nearly every hand.

his place was filled by Dr. F. A otey. The doctor spoke of James II. kels, former comptroller of the cur- place. ncy, who has just been elected presint of the Chicago association:George Bierce, of the cash register comay of Dayton, Ohio: Cornelius Vanbilt, who gave \$200,000 in cash and Ach time to the work of the associa- ready to be sawed up are disposed of. tion. Other prominent men active in

the work were mentioned. members.

SOUTH BEND PROMOTERS.

Key Are Elated Over Decision in Water Power Case.

South Bend Tribune: Local men ho are interested in the project to onstruct a dam in the St. Joseph river at Berrien Springs, and who have been opposed by Charles A. Chapin and others, are elated over the fact that Judge Carr, of the Cass county court, rien Springs water power company employs some 700 girls and as this con against Charles A. Chapin, Almon B. Omber and others enjoining them from interfering with said company in the construction of the dam. They feel that the victory so far is on their side and that they will eventually triumph with their plans.

Wouldn't Suit Judge O'Hara.

O'Hara has been notinated by the democrats of St. Joseph for mayor. He would give the citizens of that city a dean, honest administration, but he office not to his taste.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our sincere thanks to those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved wife, daughter and sister. MICHAEL MURPHEY,

MRS ASPELL.

BROTHERS AND SISTERS Good morning, says Mrs. Rustler to Mrs. Hustler, are you going to take lummer boarders? I am and am going

BANQUET Y. M. C. A. Serious Ladies Serve a Supper to the Mem-Women

The derangements of the female organism that breed all kinds of trouble tion for applicants for registration was and which ordinary practice does not oure, are the very thinge that give way

Utorine and ovarian troubles, kidney troubles, ulcerations, tumors, unusual discharges, backaches and painful periods —these are the ills that hang on and wreck health and happiness and disposition.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

has e wonderful record of absolute curee of these troublos - a constant series of successes for taken up will be the sanitary, if not thirty years. Thousands artistic wielding of wax. They will be Their letters constantly appear in this paper.

EVERY SAWMILL IS RUSHED IN MICHIGAN.

It is a surprise to take a ride on a Pere Marquette train north from Ben-"Bible in the Association." He was Pere Marquette train north from Benquestions asked will be on points conglad that the day had gone by when ton Harbor and take notice of the huge tained in this pamphlet. These hypiles of logs stacked up at nearly every gienle wints were prepared by Presistation along the road.

logs in low r Michigan have all been mental in checking the soread of many cut and sold but that evidently is a diseases. The idea of subjecting aphalf feet of logs in his vard and there

become giutted before all the logs now fected.

At the close of the banquet a vote of thanks was given the ladies. The object of these meetings is to strengthen system with Hood's Sarsaparilla and the bond of fellowship between the you may expect good health throughout the coming season.

All liver ills are cured by Hood's

KNITTING FACTORY FOR NILES.

Michigan City, Ind., Concern Will Estab-

lish a Branch There.

Niles, March 24.—The city has secured a knitting factory that will employ girls in the beginning. Work is to start at once. At Michigan City, has granted an injunction to the Ber- Ind., the Lakeside Knitting company eern is branching out, and being unable Ayers, Isaac N. Savage, Fred Me. to obtain more help, it has arranged to start a branch here.

R. M. Hutchins, of Michigan City, a member of the firm, came here yesterday and in 45 minutes had leased a He is a democrat building and closed every detail necessary to commence operations

[A Benton Barbor gentleman who saw this dispatch says that he has been Dowagiae Republican: Ex-Judge in the knitting factory referred to and that it employs nearer 70 than 700

Please Don't Do It.

Galien Advocate: Benton Harbor is would fine dealing with aspirants for trying to devise some scheme to advertise that city all over the country. Im- vote that in-urers a dry state of affairs port a few more telegraph liars and the for the coming twelve months. thing will be done.

I. O. O. F. Notice.

The Benton lodge I. O. O. F. will hold a special meeting in their hall Monday evening for the purpose of conferring third degree on special caudidates. CHARLES BENNETT, N. G. D. O. JOHNSON Sec.

Madame Parks, the fashionable mildown this morning to see Ric & Mas- liner, has returned from Detroit, Tolay about painting and papering my tedo and Grand Rapids with the latest house. They have the best stock of spring styles in ladies' millinery goods paper and paints in the city and at and novelties, including new veil-

EVERYBODY KNOWS

ing.

nat tea loses strength and flavor when exposed to he air. It collects dust, dirt and impurities, and ne tender leaves are crushed in handling. The ealed package is cheaper, because it protects the Thomas D. Hatch, Muskegon, \$16 to ea and preserves its strength and flavor.

UANDI TEA is sold in sealed packages only. Pure and fragrant.

"IT COSTS NO MORE-TRY IT"

RULES FOR BARBERS

PAMPHLET PREPARED BY PRESI-**DENT VAN HORN**

AND APPROVED BY DR. H. V.

the board held in Grand Rapids, at which the subject of proper examinathoroughly discussed.

The barber colleges received a death blow through a decision of the board that the recommendation of a barber students of these colleges would not tion unless they had served a full two years in a shop, outside of the "college" learning. The board ruled that two years is the least a barber shall serve before being granted a license, or even before being eligible to take the examination.

applicant, who perhaps has been accustomed to shaving all types and conditions of faces without cleaning his razor, will be asked to outline the upte-date method of boiling tools in antiseptic preparations, of powdering the face, and the cleaning of shaving cups and brushes Another subject to be other questions touching the convenconalif not saultery methods of the barber of today.

Particular attention will be paid to he item of clean towers and wrappers. In this respect to be perfectly sanitary

The board has decided to print a pamphlet for the instruction of barbers along these lines and many of the dent Van Horn and approved by Dr. H. V. Tutton of Benton Harbor. If Some people have contended that the followed by barbers, will be instru-

as a barber who is infected with a The high prices paid for hard wood contagious disease, either of the skin, logs this year is the cause of the great | scalp or body, and the barber must harvest of logs. Unless there is a very thoroughly cleanse both his person and large demand the market is likely to his tools after shaving a person so in-

The first of the series of examinations will be held in a month or six "Safe Bind, Safe Find." Fortify weeks, but the place of holding it is as vet verv uncertain.

Banker Routs a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung puble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the river Friday afternoon. The boy had best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with Coughs, Colas, or any Throat, Chest or Lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

MICHIGAN.

C. G. Townsend of Kalamazoo, haecured a \$1,200 position in the treasury

Mayor George R. Perry has been renominated for mayor of Grand Rapids

Holiand business men are considerng the plan of discarding the Bell telephone company altogether.

Mrs. Charles Tracy has said South Haven township for \$5,000 damages for injuries received on the nighway.

Dowagiae Republican: It is generally believed that the poor quality of whistey sold by the Buchanan dealers had something to do with the big prohibition vote recently polled there, a

Mr. and Mrs. John Main, of Franklin, Thursday celebrated the 70th anniversary of their marriage, which occurred in England March 22, 1830. They came to America the same year and soon after settled in Franklin on the farm where they now reside.

James Dooley, who lives six miles northeast of Albion, has found an excellent bed of marl on his farm, two and one half feet thick. The bed extends under adjoining farms, being almost a mile in length. The commercial value is much enhanced by the white marl being underlaid by a superior quality of blue marl.

Michigan applicants granted pensions Toursday: Original-George Turner, Bay City, \$8 Increase Charles W. Sodden, Rankin, \$14 to \$30; Joseph S. Wilson, Leslie, \$8 to \$17; Fuller D. McFaddin. Sagma ., \$10 to \$12; John Riddle, Reed Ciry, \$6 to \$8; \$17; Benjamin F Taylor, Otisville, \$14 away." Stevens, Caseville, \$8.

RELIGIOUS JUBILER.

Steps Being Taken Toward the Holding of a National Event of Much Importance.

Cincinnati, March 24,--Albert Frazer, of this city, prominent in church and reformatory work, is busily engaged in mailing to the newspapers an address to the people of the United States Detrois, March 24 - Charles Rieger, advocating a national religious jubisecretary of the state barber commistice, preceded by a year of prayer and sion, has returned from a meeting of preparation and a national religious revival. This address is signed by Rev. John Henry Barrows, of Oberlin; Bishon William Croswell Doane, of Albany; Rev. George C. Lorimer, Boston; Rev. Washington Gladden, Columbus: Rev. Charles F. Thwing, Cleveland; Rev. Theodore F. Cuyler, New York; Bishpromptly to Lytla E. Pinkcollege would have the effect of subjecting the applicant to a thorough
C. G. McCabe, Fort Worth; Rev. Wiljecting the applicant to a thorough C. C. McCabe, Fort Worth; Rev. Wilexamination. It was also decided that liam R. Nicholson, Philadelphia; Bishop Edward G. Andrews, New York, and be eligible even to take the examina- many other distinguished elergymen connected with various religious denominations. As the object of the movement is to awaken a national religious revival, it proposes what is intended to be the greatest religious movement of the age, embracing as it The questions for the examinations does all religious denominations and will be answered part in written state- this nation with its 75,000,000 of peoment and part orally, though their ple. The newspapers, secular and reexact nature is as yet uncertain. The ligious, are requested to participate in this movement. Correspondence and suggestions in furtherance of this movement are solicited by A. L. Frazer, 0318 Nelson avenue, Cincinnati.

Call for Convention.

Duluth, Minn., March 24. - Chairman Charles A. Towne, of the national committee of the silver reof women vouch for this. asked if in their judgment it is right publican party, has issued the call and proper for them to stick their for a national convention pursutingers in the vasciin jar, and many ant to a resolution of the national committee of the silver republican party at its meeting in the city of Chiago on the 29th day of November, 1899, to meet in the Coates opera house at Kansas City, Mo., July 4, for the the barber shop may have to add a purpose of placing in nomination canlaundry to his shop or go out of busi- didates for president and vice president of the United States.

Week of Prayer.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 24.—Bishop Charles H. Fowler, who has just returned from the Philadelphia conference to the Episcopal residence in this city, gives expression of his views, which in substance follow: "The week of fasting, or abstinence, or prayer of the Methodist Episcopal Rapp was assigned to speak of mistake. One log buyer at Hartford plicants to practical tests has been dischurch will extend from March 25 to April 1, inclusive. Each person makes April 1, inclusive. Each person makes The board will recommend particulation of abstinence. are one or two other buyers at that larly that no man be allowed to serve We want at least 2,000,000 converts in the next two years."

Trial Set for April 3. New York, March 24.--Justice Pursman, in the criminal branch of the supreme court, set the trial of Miss Olga Nethersole and the other parties defendant in the indictment returned Thursday by the grand jury

for April 3. Father and Son Drowned.

Jackson, Miss., March 24.- F. B. Willey, a barge master, and his nineyear-old son were drowned in Pearl fallen from a small rowboat and Willey jumped in to save him.

Help Wanted. Mistress-How did you happen to let the fire go out? New Girl-I'm sure I don't know,

ma'am, unless you happened to forget to tell me to put coal on.-Chicago Evening News.

> Wise, Sure Enough. "Pa, why do folks call the owl the

bird of wisdom?"

"Because he's got sense enough not

to come out and fly around until all boys about your size are in bed."-Indianapolis Journal.

NONE SO POPULAR.

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Results Reported From People Who Have Given a Fair Trial to the Remedy.

Morrow's Kid-ne-olds, the scientific state for kidney ailments, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness and general debility that has gained such popular M. Bell & Co. favor as Morrow's Kid-ne-oids.

We give you the experience of Mr. C C. Bachman, 41 Barclay street, Muskegon, Michigan, says: "I have been afflicted with backache and nervousness for a number of years, also kidney trouble. I was treated by three doctors but they gave me no relief. I very best pills I ever used for costiveread about Morrow's Kid-ne-oids and commenced to take them according to directions and in three days was greatly Thomas J. Magee, Barry, \$10 to \$12; relieved of backache and nervousness. Oscar Marsh, Flint, \$6 to \$8; Emmett I will continue to take them un'il all H. Brower, Carson City, \$12 to \$14; symptoms of kidney trouble have passed

to \$24; Nathaniel Perkins, Hemlock | Morrow's Kid-ne-oids are not pills, City, \$8 to \$1?. Reis-ue-Alexander but Yellow Tablets, and sell at fifty U. McHale, Muskegon, \$17; Hiram T. cents a box at all drug stores and at safe without it." Quickly cures coughs, Stringham, Wayland, \$12. Widows— Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store. colds, grippe and all throat and lung Alta Mira Parsons, Detroit, \$8; Mar- Mailed on receipt of price. Manufacsella Ryan, Marcellus, \$8; Ann Augusta tured by John Morrow & Co., Chemiste, Springfield, Ohio.

"GOLDIDUST."

"Housework is hard work without Gold Dust"

Cleaning Silver

instead of scouring and rubbing each piece of aliver separately, the whole service can be an effectively cleaned in a few minutes. After each meal the silver should be put into a pan (kept especially for the purpose) and cover with luke-warm water, to which a teaspoonfull of

Gold Dust Washing Powder

is added; set the pan on the range until the water gets to holling point, then lift out each piece with a wire spoon and lay on a soft linen cloth, wiping quickly with chamols skin. The pieces so cleaned will be highly polished and look like new. The above is taken from our tree booklet 'GOLDEN RULES FOR HOUSEWORK' Sent free on request to

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Notice of Registration.

boards of registration for the annual the several wards of said city on Sat-

Fuel company, Pipestone street.

Third ward—At the city hall. Fourth ward-At Krieger & Seel's entitled: store, corner Sixth and Territorial streets.

Said boards of registration will be Baimbridge ... n session from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon of

Every voter must be registered in the ward in which he resides in order to vote at this election.

Dated March 21, 1900. R. P. CHADDOCK, City Clerk.

Wisconsin Central Railway.

Trains now leave Chicago from Central Station, Park Row and 12th Street, Lake Front, connecting with C. &. W. M. and Michigan Central trains, for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Duluth and the Northwest. Nearest ticket agent can give you further information. Jas. C. Pond. G. P. A.,

Milwaukee, Wis.

recommend it to mothers" It is the four wards of said city, one alderimmediate results. It cures bronchi- man from the Second ward, one alderlung diseases. It will prevent con- man from the Fourth ward, (all for the sumption. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

14211 stone street.

Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says: "We term of four years. never feel safe without One Minute kidney remedy and backache cure, is Cough Cure in the house. It saved my daily gaining favor in Michigan. No little boy's life when he had the pneumedicine has ever been sold in this monia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung d seases: Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results. Geo.

> Frank Smith, the piano tuner will be in Benton Harbor on or about March 20, in the interest of his customers. Leave orders with Louise Rector, Water street.

M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says, 'DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the ness, liver and bowel troubles." Geo. gives immediate relief, is pleasant to M Belt & Co.

There are more Blicken-derfer type writers used in Benton Harbor than fail to cure. Geo M. Bell & Co.

Mrs Harriet Evans, Hillsdale, Ill., writes. "I never full to relieve my children from croup at once by using One Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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Republican County Convention.

A republican county convention v be held at Berrien Springs, on Wedelection to be held in and for the city needay, April 18, 1900, at 11 o'clock a. of Benton Harbor, Michigan, on Mon- m., for the purpose of selecting twentyday, April 2, 1900, will be in session in one delegates to the state delegate convention to be held at Detroit, May urday, March 31, 1900, as follows:
First ward—At P. W. Hall's drug at district delegate convention at South Haven April 26; and the selec-Second ward-At office of Benton tion of a new republican county committee. The following is the number of delegates to which each township is

> END DIRUMOT. No. Del. LET DISTRICT Berrien 10 Buchanan, 1 pot, Chikaming..... Gallen.... Lake, i pet..... Hagar..... 6 Lincoln New Buffalo..... Niles city, I w.....11 Royalton..... St. Joseph city, 1 w 2 W 8 Watervilet, 1 r Weesaw 8

A. N. WOODRUFF, chairman. D. H. BOWER, secretary.

Notice of Annual City Election.

Notice is hereby given that the annunt election in and for the city of Ben-Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, ton Harbor, Michigan, will be held on Pa., says, "As a speedy cure for coughs, Monday, April 2, 1900, at which time colds, croop and sore throat One Min- the following cay officers will be electute Cough Cure is unequaled. It is ed, viz: Mayor city clerk, city treaspleasant for children to take, I heartily lurer, one supervisor from each of the only harmless remety that produces man from the First ward, one aldertis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and man from the Third ward, one alderterm of two years), and one alderman from the First ward for the term of one Batinger the undertaker, 138 Pipe- year; also one constable from each

of the four wards of said city. Also one justice of the peace for the

The poling places for holding this said election will be as follows: First ward-At Avery block, West Main street.

Second ward-At old marble shop on Pleasant street. Third ward-At city hall.

Fourth ward-At the DeLisle buildng, 160 Territorial street. The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and will re-

main open until 6 o'clock p. m. of said Dated this 21st day of March, 1900. R. R. CHADDOCK, City Clerk.

"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my family with wonderful results. It take and is truly the dyspeptic's best friend." says E. Hartgerink, Overleel, Mico. Digests what you eat. Cannot

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Call at the Oak Restaurant for the best 15c meal in the city.

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The Weekly News. -**Entered** at the postoffice at Benton Harbor

as second-class matter.

OFFICE: 142 Pipestone Street. TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1900.

COLONEL Plumer, the British general, who has just been licked by the Boers, is no relative of Gen. Plummer of this city.

As the trial of Gen. Marsh pregresses it is more and more evident that whatever the verdict of the jury there is no great amount of chance for an innocent man to suffer. Of course the defense has not been heard and it is too early to prejudge the case.

PRESIDENT Kruger weeks ago predicted that God would help the Boers whip the English. It is suspected that Oom Paul has not been admitted to the secrets of heaven. The faithful democrat who relies on the same power to carry Benton Harbor this spring will learn that votes are necessary to victory in such matters.

CLAIM EXCESS SERVICE.

Letter Carriers Do Extra Work and Present Their Claims for Reimburnement to Congress.

ported by the commissioners of the of these amendments looks to the en- should at no time exceed \$50,000,000. courts of claims, representing services largement of the free trade list so as "June 9, 1879, the act providing for In excess of eight hours per day. It port in which the constituents of the lawful money was passed, and forthis a long one, and the carriers of III. free trade senators are interested, with our old quarters, dimes and are well represented in these claims. They range in amounts from 50 cents to several hundred dollars. According to this list the Chicago carriers did more extra work than those of any other city, with the exception of New York. Many towns in the state are represented, among them being Aurora, Belleville, Bloomington, Cairo, Danville, Decatur, Evanston, Freeport, Galesburg, Jacksonville, Joliet, Kankakee, La Salle, Mattoon, Moline, Oak Park, Ottawa. Pekin, Peoria, Quincy, Rockford, Rock Island, Springfield, Sterling, Streator and Waukegan. The carriers of Indiana, lowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio, and Wisconsin cities also have claims representing several thousand dollars.

LIBRARY FOR MANILA

Bill Before Congress Appropriating Money for the Rental and Preparation of a Suitable Building.

Since the outbreak of hostilities in the Philippines the people of this country have contributed an enormous amount of reading matter for the use of the soldiers and sailors doing duty in and about those islands. There are no facilities for circulating books and magazines, and in order to provide these facilities Senator McMillan introduced a bill appropriating \$5,000 for the rental and preparation of a building at Manila for use as a library. This amount will also cover the salary of the librarian. The measure is a popular one, and it is not believed the Michigan senator will experience any difficulty in having it adopted.

Aptly Stated.

Never a good cause that suffered by publicity, says the New York World, and never a bad one that did not thrive by privacy.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hail's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO.,

Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and be-Heve him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made be set for taking a vote, thus placing by their firm. WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists,

Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Whole sale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken inernally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Balve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dan-Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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on Porto Rican Measure,

MAY PASS HOUSE BILL UNCHANGED.

On the Ground That Party Principles Must Be Maintained All Amendments Will Be Voted Down If Possible.

lican caucus committee of the senate Friday authorized Senator Foraker in definite terms to propose the separation of the tariff feature from the Por- Subsidiary Cotunge to the Amount of to Rican governmental bill and to attempt to pass the house tariff bill without amendment. The programme is to vote down all amendments, if possible to do so, and pass the bill as it came from the house, without any changes

The committee went over the situation in detail, considering all the points at issue. There were suggestions as to the necessity of amending ury to add \$20,000,000 to the stock of offset by the situation in the house and the necessity of maintaining the party tariff principle.

Changes Would Endanger Bill.

The expression was strongly expressed that any changes whatever in the house bill would endanger its acdecision. There was, however, a disposition manifest to placate the free traders by making various amendments to the governmental bill. The tariff advocates have gone so far as to cles from the United States going into | paper money, began to return.

Conference of Opposition.

situation. A hurried conference was absorbed. called in Senator Proctor's committee only the iron-bound free traders, but others who have not yet taken a de- man act may be coined. The new aueided position against all Porto Rico thority was forely needed, and will proposition of the steering committee. | years." but contented themselves with a decision to oppose any proposition looking to the fixing of a time to vote on either the house tarm bill or the senate governmental bill.

Hope Lies in Delay.

They were unanimously of the opinion that delay meant gun for their cause in the public good will and in the senate. A canvass of the republican senators was made with the result, it was stated, that 15 could be found who would oppose hasty action. Of these it was stated that ten were unalterably opposed to a tariñ on our commerce with Porto Rico, It was stated explicitly that the proposition made Thursday for a vote next Wednesday, by Senator Proctor on behalf of the free traders, would not be

Little Progress Made.

When the senate adjourned several of the members of the republican caucus committee admitted that no great progress had been made. They said there would be no withdrawal from the determination to press for an early vote and to put the house bill through without amendment. Other members, however, expressed the opinion that the bill might yet be modified so as to meet the objections of the free trade republicans of the senate. They admitted that the representatives of the house had told them there was great danger in altering the house measure in any respect One member of the committee stated that it was the purpose of the committee to ask every day that a time the responsibility for any delay that might occur upon the free traders.

Sennte.

Washington, March 24.-The senate adopted the conference report on the Porto Rico relief bill by a vote of 35 to 15, practically a strict party exceedd. We also guarantee a 25-cent botpression. No democrat voted for the report, but Senator Stewart (Nev.) voted with the republicans. The time of discussion was consumed principally by Senator Tillman (dem., S. C.), who made a fierce attack upon the measure as agreed upon in conference, and accused the republican senators

Countries of the Country of the Coun leagues on the floor and the people in the galleries. Senator Gallinger (rep., N. H.) followed with a temperate statement of those who not only favor the Congressman Hitt as a Statesman report but the passage of a Porto Rican tariff bill. Senator Spooner (rep. Wis.) closed the debate with a forceful statement in opposition to Senator Tillman's speech, in the course of which he took occasion sharply to criticise the South Carolina senator for dragging the measure into politics. His colloquial tilts with Senator Tillman were immensely enjoyed by the auditors.

House. Washington, March 24.-The house passed 142 private pension bills. Late the point of no quorum. The attendance was small at the time, but a quorum was finally secured, however, after a call of the house. The confer-Plan of Republican Senate Caucus ence report on the Porto Rican relief bill was presented and one p. m. today set as the time for voting on it. Mr. Steele (Ind.) asked that April 14 be fixed for the reception of the statue of Gov. O. P. Morton, of Indiana. Objection was made and no agreement was reached.

BIG JOB FOR MINTS.

Washington, March 24. - The repub- Provision of New Law Will Tax taking down in shorthand every word Their Capacity to Utmost.

> \$20,000,000 Will Be Added to the Country's Supply—Is Much Needed.

The mints of the United States will be busy for some time to come in undertaking to carry out the provision of the act that has just become law and that permits the secretary of the treasthe bill so as to suit the demands of the subsidiary coinage. The authority to republican free trade element, but coin silver of the smaller denominathese were considered as more than tions has been obtained specifically from time to time, but has been restricted to small amounts, the supporters of the free coinage of silver having systematically resisted the increase of the supply of minor silver.

Director of the Mint Roberts, in talking about the objects and usefulness of ceptance by that body, and in the end | the new act, as relating to subsidiary this fact controlled the committee's silver coinage, said: "The new monetary act, approved March 14, authorizes an increase of about \$20,000,000 in the stock of subsidiary silver coin. The last authority for the issue of subsidiary silver was given by a joint resodraft amendments to that measure lution, approved July 22, 1876, in prepwhich are intended both to correct ad- aration for the resumption of specie Acting Attorney General Richards ministrative defects in the house bill payments. It authorized the issue of has transmitted to the senate a list and also to meet many of the object an amount which, together with the of the amounts which have been re- tions to the house tariff measures. One fractional paper currency outstanding,

actually performed by letter carriers to include most of the articles of ex- the redemption of subsidiary silver in There is also a proposition looking to halves, which had been driven to the capital in those days, and Mr. Hitt the entire removal of the duty on arti- West Indies and South America by our

> "They were presented for redemption, until the treasury held over \$30,000,-The action of the committee was 000. In this way the \$50,000,000 limit soon made known to the free traders was exceeded, for the treasury officials and it immediately became evident paid this stock out in the regular course that they were not satisfied with the of business until it was practically all

> "The present stock in the country room, which was attended by about thus reached about \$50,000,000. Under ten senators. These included not the new law it may be \$100,000,000 and bullion purchased under the Shertariff propositions. They did not en- scarcely suffice for the growing needs of ter into any detailed discussion of the the country more than five or six

DIES IN TWO COUNTIES.

The Unique Distinction Which Characterized an Eccentric Old Tinkerer.

"McKinley Bill," the eccentric old character who was found frozen to death on the public road about a mile north of the little town of Arthur, ten miles west of Arcola, Ill., a short time ago, bears a unique distinction. It is that of having died in two counties.

When the body of the aged tinkerer and mechanic was found it was lying across the middle of the public road which forms the dividing line between the counties of Moultrie and Douglas. The head and a portion of the upper part of the body were stretched across the line and lay in Moultrie county, while the legs and the lower part of the dead man's body projected over on the Douglas county territory.

Before the body was removed a jury had to be summoned to determine which of the two counties should take legal possession of the dead man's remains. There was but one way to decide the point of possession and that was to take a measurement and award the county on which the greater portion of the body lay the right to pos-

The measurement was carefully taken, and it fell to the lot of Douglas county to take the body in charge, and the coroner of that county was given possession of the remains, which were removed to the town of Arthur, and an inquest held to determine the cause of and is not much of a politician. death.

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If Representative Roberts Roberts Hitt, of Illinois, were to compile his reminiscences, the result would be a volume of extraordinary interest. Not only has he figured prominently in in the day Mr. Talbert (S. C.) raised national and international affairs for nearly a generation, but he has enjoyed personal relations of a peculiarly close character with more men of eminence perhaps than any other man of the day.

Away back before the war, says the Washington Star, when a mere boy. he was attached to Abraham Lincoln in a way that gave him enviable facilities for studying the processes of Lincoln's mind. He was a stenographer and a newspaper reporter for the Chicago Tribune, and throughout the memorable debate between Lincoln and Douglas, preceding the latter's election to the United States senate, young Hitt followed Lincoln, that publicly fell from his lips. These famous addresses which made Lincoln's nationa' reputation, and which, more than anything else, contributed to his election as president, owe their permanent and enduring form to the youthful reporter's notes, the original of which the congressman still hoards among his literary treasures. Lincoln called him "Bob," and was fond of the

After the war Mr. Hitt came to Washington as a clerk of a congressional committee and had an opportunity to become acquainted with the great statesmen of the reconstruction

His good luck sent him to Paris in 1874, just after the Franco-Prussian war, as secretary of legation and charge d'affaires ad interim. History



(Chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.)

was being made rapidly in the French mpent seven years in Paris, a period which was closely packed with important events. He returned to Washington in 1581 to become assistant secretary of state, and the next year was elected a member of the house of representatives. All through his career in congress he has been conspicuous in the discussion of international questions, and now, as chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs, he is regarded as a diplomatic authority without a peer.

Mr. Hitt has had the good fortune to cement friendship more firmly than almost any other man now in public life. He was Blaine's closest friend in Washington. In the concluding years of Blaine's life Hitt was the man in whom he confided most and was often to be found in the historie old mansion on Lafayette square. At the same time that he enjoyed these affectionate relations with the great secretary of state he was the best friend of Speaker Reed, Blaine's bitterest enemy in public life. And no finer tribute could be paid to the delicate tact of the Illinois representative than that he should have continued for years such a relationship with two such men without losing

the confidence of either. In Mr. Hitt's house in K street is a room which is devoted to the memory of Blaine. The walls are covered with pictures of the Maine leader, with autograph letters and all sorts of relics which bring Blaine to mind. Elsewhere in the house are Lincoln relics, and stored away somewhere in places where they will be found some time and brought to light are scores and hundreds of confidential letters from men whose names will figure in history.

Mr. Hitt is of medium height, of modest bearing and one of those in public life, not too numerous, who is a gentleman always. His voice is soft and modulated; his manner is frank and friendly, although he never forgets the diplomatic proprieties; his conversation is stored with information and anecdote, and ye be has never been known to reveal a thing which was to be kept in confidence. He makes no pretensions to oratory

Where Lafayette Is Buried. "We visited the convent du Sacre-

Coeur, in the Rue de Picpus, where La Fayette is buried," writes "Edith" from Paris to the Ladies' Home Journal. "Here birds of passage, like ourselves, seldom come. At the end of a rosegrown garden is a little cemetery, where bearers of some of the oldest J. A. Sheffield & Son. Dr. J. J. Fabry names in France lie buried. Now only descendants of those who died on the guillotine are eligible to a grave there, and in one corner, in the shadow of the great wall, are the graves of La Fayette and his wife. Beyond the first cemetion were buried."

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& Vincent's livery barn. R. H. WELLS and J. H. Culby have a fine lot of horses from Crown Point

Ind., at Closson's livery barn today. UNDERTAKER J. O. Rowe, who will ccupy one of the new stores in the Mills block, expects his new funeral car and outfit here April 1.

ATTORNEY William J. Stuart is the republican nominee for mayor of Grand Rapids. Mr. Stuart is the law partner of S. W. Barker, formerly of this city. THE carpenter work on Alderman

Baker's new residence on Broadway will be commenced next week. L. L. Merrill has the contract for the work. GEORGE Monger has purchased the residence of Mrs. Laura Babcock on

Maple street and will make extensive repairs. He will occupy it as his home. THE new livery stable on East Main street, which will be occupied by A. Kennedy, is nearly completed. The stable will possess all of the modern

improvements. THE meeting of the directors of the Toledo & Benton Harbor railroad company is being held in this city this afternoon. The well known promoter. William Dallin, is in attendance.

dancing club was given in Conkeys Sun with an affidavit along with this hall last night and was well attended. Null's orchestra furnished the music. which was pronounced the finest of the

GEORGE M. Bell & Co. will have a ew advertisemet Monday They have heir new line of wall papers in and nake a special feature of furnishing

THE work of planking the steamer fary is well under way and a large orce of men will be employed in order hat the boat can be finished and runing on the Benton Harvor-Chicago coute by May 28.

SIXTY girls are now employed in the Farwell factory and it is expected to put 50 more at work next Monday morning. Two hundred girls and women will be employed in this institution before May 1.

EDWARD HUGHS, who has been a resident of this city for about a year and who has been employed in various ealoons as porter, was locked up lat night in the city jail and this morning was sent to the county jak for 30 days. Hughs has been drinking heavily and was in a terrible condition when found by the officers.

NULL'S Military band are arranging to give another one of their tine concerts in Conkey's had on Thursday night, April 5 Some of their best talent who are attending the military academy at Orchard Lake and mem- her along on the 12:25 p. m. train on a bers of the military band there will be recent Tuesday.

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WITH CHICKEN JELLY a sweet mustard sauce is an agreeable dressing. To make the sauce use one tablespoonful of French mustard, three tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar or very fine granulated, four tablespoonfuls of white table vinegar. Mix all together into a smooth dressing, which should be a little thicker than the consistency of maple sirup. Some mustards require more vinegar than others, so that it may be necessary to add a little more vinegar or mustard to accomplish the desired result.

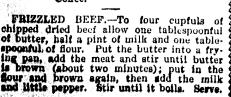
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DINNER.
Bisque of Celery.
Porterhouse Steak. Porternouse Steam.
Parsnip Balls.
Steamed Rice, Tomato Sauce.
Celery and Nut Salad,
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CAT WITH MANY LIVES.

Pussy Rode Sixty Miles on a Car Truck, Says W. H. Conover, Being Duly Sworn.

Mr. William H. Conover was thought-THE last dance given by the Miami ful enough to furnish the New York

Mr. Conover is an Eric railroad baggage master. He lives at Suffern. A tramp cat took up her residence at the hotel in Suffern and kept Mr. Conover's friend, Mr. Norris, awake at night by meowing. Mr. Norris asked Mr. Conoainters and paper hangers to do the verto deport the cat. Mr. Conover consented, put the cat in a bag and took



SHOOK OUT THE CAT.

home to assist in this musical event | At Mahwah Mr. Conover opened the well known local artists will bag and shook out the cat. The cat disssist to make this as fine a muse appeared. The train went on. At Altreat as the last one which gave lendale Mr. Conover heard the meow of a ent and supposed the commuters were having fun with him. The train reached Jersey City, and after the pas-All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of sengers had left, the cars were taken to a switch where they remained for four hours. At 4:52 p. m. the train was ie unless a costly operation was per- taken to the passenger shed for its rermed; but he cured himself with turn trip to Suffern. On the arrival of the train at Suffern at 6:04 p. m. Mr. Conover, in assisting the brakeman to General Banking Business Transacted disconnect the air brake from the passenger car, was greeted with a meow. Dr. S. M. White dentist. He looked up at the truck of the ear and there sat kitty as comfortable as if 1. W. CONKEY, she had a seat in a Pullman car. To H. D. POOLE. say that Mr. Conover was surprised to WM. RUPP. JR., J. H. LEE. see there the identical cat be had put B. M. NOWLEN, M. B. WELLS, off the train at Mahwah at about 12:00 p. m. would be stating the case mildly. Your business respectfully solicited. Many of the residents doubted Mr. Conover's story, and to convince the doubt. Office 118 Pipestone, Benton Harbor. ers he produced the cat and also made an affidavit. Therefore it seems highly probable that the cat did ride from Mahwah to Jersey City and returned to Suffern on the car trucks, a distance of 60 miles, and was none the worse for her excursion with the exception of be ing covered with dire and grease. She is now an honored guest at the hotel and Mr. Norris has resigned himself to staying awake at night.

Mr. Conover's affidavit was sworn to before Alfred S. Bush, notary public of Transact a General Banking Business Suffern, and duly signed, sealed and certified by him.

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"One dollar per word, as proposed by the committee bill, is much cheaper, but is still far in excess of what the rate ought to be. The government can construct this cable, and by putting the rate as low as 25 cents or perhaps even ten cents per word (and likely still less) can more than pay the cost of its operation and two per cent, on the cost of its construction.

"The number of messages sent over a governmental cable would be many times more at the low rate charged by the government than it would be over a private cable at one dollar per word. Every additional message sent would indicate increased trade, and it is proper for the government to foster trade in this way by opening speedy and cheap means of communication, as it is to carry on the present post office system. The cost of constructing the cable need not exceed \$5,000,000 to \$10,-000,000. This is less than the cost of two good warships.

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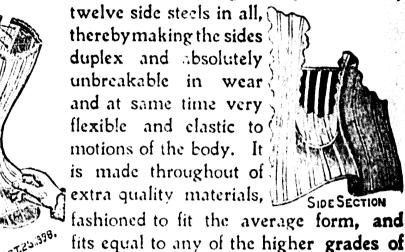
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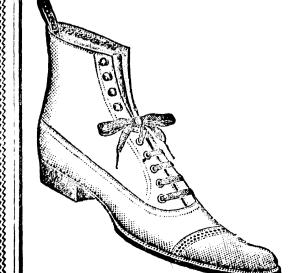
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Frankfort, Ky., March 24.—The preliminary examination of Secretary of State Caleb Powers, charged with abetting the assassination of William Goebel, began Friday before Judge Moore. The courthouse was guarded inside and out by militia and scores of deputy sheriffs, armed with winchester rifles, to prevent possible interference from "mountaineers," who were reported on their way to Frankfort, but their presence was unnecessary, as the mountaineers failed to appear and no disorder occurred. The witnesses included Warden Eph Lillard, Detective Doe Armstrong, Sheriff Bosworth, of Fayette county, who arrested Secretary Powers and Capt. John Davis, and Silns Jones, who is now under bonds charged with complicity in the murder.

The Testimony.

The testimony tended to show that the shots came from that section of the executive building in which Secretary Powers' office is located, although no one swore that the shots were from the secretary's office. The strongest evidence, perhaps, was given by Silas Jones, who was in Gov. Taylor's anteroom when the shooting took place. No evidence was adduced tending to show that the defendant was implicated in any conspiracy, but in one of the frequent wordy disputes between the attorneys for the defense and the commonwealth the fact was brought out that F. Wharton Golden, who is said to have made a confession, would be put on the witness stand before the hearing ends. Prosecuting Attorney Polsgrove said Friday night that sufficient evidence had already been heard to warrant holding Powers, but that the case would be much stronger before he was through. On the other hand, former Gov. Brown, for the defense, expressed himself as well pleased with the situation, regarding the evidence so far as decidedly weak. It is probable that all of the witnesses for it will take years to overcome. Even

Recognizes Taylor.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 24.—Gov. Mount issued a requisition for the re- Americans are penniless, being glad turn to this state from Kentucky of to work for their board. a man wanted on a criminal charge. The clerk whose business it is to structions, explaining that he did not know whom to address as the governor of the state. A consultation was held and Gov. Mount decided W. S. Taylor was Kentucky's chief ex-

about the matter Friday night Gov. Mount said the returning board of Kentucky had declared Mr. Taylor elected governor, and for that reason he recognized him.

Don't Want Federal Aid. Washington, March 24. - Andrew Cowan, of Louisville, Ky.; Samuel J. Roberts, editor of the Lexington Leader, and John Marshall, republican lieutenant governor of the state, all spent half an hour with President Me-Kinley Friday. They said afterward they had assured the president that they did not want federal troops to be sent to the state or any federal inter- of his son, R. Cameron Rogers, the ference whatever.

First Choice for Archbishop.

Dubuque, Ia., March 24.-As the result of the bishops' meeting at Davenport approving the action of the counsellors in Dubuque fast week, it is announced on what is considered reliable authority that Dr. John Carroll, president of St. Joseph's college here, is the first choice for archbishop, because of the certainty of Bishop Keane being coadjutor at Chicago This archdiocese is to be divided, lowa comprising one see and Nebraska and Wyoming another.

Held as an Outlaw.

San Francisco, March 24. - The military authorities at Manila have a prisoner who will be sent to this country shortly if his identity can be estabfished. He is believed to be "Bill" May delivery, 531/2/054c. Redman, the notorious outlaw who is accused of several murders, and who escaped from the rough riders when recognized by a comrade. In 1893 he was accused of murdering a Mrs. Shoemaker in Kansas City. The prisoner denies his guilt.

Died in Jerusalem.

Cleveland, O., March 24. - Capt. Thomas Wilson, president of the Central national bank, of this city, and a widely known vessel owner, is dead. A private cablegram received from Jerusalem announced that Capt. Wilson had died there of pneumonia. He left Cleveland several weeks ago for an extended trip abroad.

Died in an Asylum. Boston, March 24.-Dr. Ulrich Jahn

who superintended the scientific part of the German village in the midway plaisance at the Columbian exposition in 1893, has just died here in a private insane asylum. He had evaded justice for several years, having committed one offense against morality, Hanged,

Richmond, Va., March 24.-Reuben

Griggs (colored), aged 16 years, was hanged at Cumberland Court House Friday for criminal assault upon a girl of his own color, (aged seven years,

The war department will spend \$80,000 for sites for fortifications at New York. Krupp expects to make \$44,000,000 prefit on armor plate under German naval bill. Walter H. Chamberlin, of Chicago, has been appointed assistant commissioner o

patents. There are rumors of consolidation of the Union Pacific, Alton, Illinois Central and gulf roads.

The Carnegie company was organized Friday at Pittuburgh with a capital of \$260,000,000.

The British colonies of Australia plan federal government, using the United States as a model.

Many telephone companies are reported to be consolidating for a great fight with

the Bell company. Mrs. H. D. Cable gave \$50,000 to the Evanston (III.) hospital for new building

and a children's ward. A resolution has been introduced in the house directing the postmaster general to bar "Sapho" from mails.

It is officially announced from London that the Delagon bay award will be given Monday next, March 26. An Italian government bank is likely to

be established in the United States to transport emigrants' remittances. Russia's railway concession means practical annexation of nearly half of the

northern portion of Turkey in Asia. Mob besieged all day the jall at Emporia, Va., and was only prevented from lynching a negro murderer by the arrival of state troops. Admiral Dewey and party Friday re-

viewed thousands of school children of

Macon. Ga., who were stretched in a long line on the principal street. At a cabinet council held at the Elysee palace. Paris, the French minister of foreign affairs. M. Delcasse, announced the signature of the protocol delaying the rati-

Burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adams in Kankakee, Ill., and, falling to find anything of value, beat the aged couple almost to death. Mr. Adams' right eye was torn out. It is believed both of the victims will die.

fication of the Franco-American treaty un-

A SERIOUS SITUATION.

A Gloomy Report in Made as to the State of Affairs in Porto Rico.

Ponce, Porto Rico, March 24.-The situation here is now more serious than it has been at any time before since the terrible hurricane. In many places the poor are starving. The price of rice, beans and codfish has increased from 50 to 100 per cent. Demonstrations against the delay of the United States government in settling open questions have recently been held at Mayagues, Yuace, Arecibo, Aguadilla, Fajardo, Juana Diaz, Guayama and many other towns. The people are unable to understand the delay and condemn all Americans indiscriminately. Bad feeling is arising, which the prosecution will be heard by this riots are threatened. Trouble is almost inevitable unless the tension is relieved. Even wealthy land owners cannot command ready cash, and many

Death of a Pioneer.

Marietta, O., March 24.—Hon. George M. Woodridge died Friday night, aged 86 years. He was a pioneer and has had much to do with historical matters. He was a member of the Ohio legislature in 1842 and was active in ecutive, and the papers were accord. politics during the war, and internal ingly forwarded to him. When asked revenue collector of the Fifteenth Ohio district after the war.

> Mrs. McKinley III. Washington, March 24.-Mrs. Mc-Kinley has been confined to her room for two or three days past by an attack of grip and has been too indisposed to take her accustomed daily drive with the president. Her condition, however, is not regarded as se-

Passed Away.

Santa Barbara, Cal., March 24.-Sherman Rogers, a prominent citizen of Buffalo, N. Y., died at the residence well-known poet, at one o'clock Friday afternoon, of cerebral meningitis.

Freight House Burned. New London, Conn., March 24.-The Central Vermont freight house in East New London was burned Friday, together with 37 freight cars. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. Two men were severely injured.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc. Chicago, March 23.

WHEAT-Lower. May, 65% q 65% c; July, CORN-Higher. Cash quoted at 3614c; May seld at 303,40367ge and 273,403714e; July at 37's 43734c; September at 37% 438'4c. OATS-Easy. May, 2075/024c; July, 2234

RYE-Dull and easier. No. 2 was 53c and No. 3 about 52c; No. 2, by sample, 544155c;

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mand rather active. Prices quotable at

\$11.70@11.80 for regular, and \$11.10@11.20 for old, \$11.70@11.80 for May, \$11.50@11.60 for LARD-Demand fairly active and offerings not large. Prices quotable at \$6.15@ 6.20 for regular, \$6.12½@6.15 for choice old, \$6.17\2@6.20 for May and \$6.27\2@6.40 for July. SHORT RIB SIDES-Offerings moderate and demand fairly active. Prices quotable

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CHAPTER X.

Mr. Hardy began in a low, clear tone: "Men and Women of Barton-Tonight I am not the man you have known me these 25 years I have been a new creature. As I stand here I have no greater desire in my heart than to say what may prove to be a blessing to all my old townspeople and to my employees and to these strong young men and boys. Within a few short days God has shown me the selfishness of a human being's heart, and that heart was my own, and it is with feelings none of you can ever know that I look into your faces and say these words.'

Robert paused a moment as if gathering himself up for the effort that followed, and the audience, startled with an unexpected emotion by the strange beginning, thrilled with excitement, as, lifting his arm and raising his voice the once cold and proud man continued, his face and form glowing with the transfiguration of a new manhood:

"There is but one supreme law in this world, and it is this: Love God and your neighbor with heart, mind, soul, strength. And there are but two things worth living for: The glory of God and the salvation of man. Tonight I, who look into eternity in a sense which I will not stop to explain, feel the bitterness which comes from the knowledge that I have broken that law and have not lived for those things which alone are worth living for.

"But God has sent me here tonight with a message to the people which my heart must deliver. It is a duty even more sacred in some ways than what that the hearts of the people are shock- fell. ed into numbness by the recent horror. blackness of horror this night? Yea, the event of death when the far more awful event of life does not disturb us: I in the least?

We shudder with terror, we lose our accustomed pride or indifference. we speak in whispers, and we tread who smites but once and then smites the body only, but in the awful presence of the living image of God we go our ways careless, indifferent, cold, passionless, selfish.

"I know whereof I speak, for I have walked through the world like that myself. And yet death cannot be compared for one moment with life for majesty, for solemnity, for meaning, for power. There were 75 persons kill. tims into perdition with every revolued in the accident. But in the papers tion of this great planet about its this morning I read in the column next | greater sun? to that in which the accident was paraded in small type and in the briefa certain young man in this very town his father's name on a check and was in the grasp of the law.

like that and worse than that are of frequent occurrence. Nay, in this very town of ours more than 75 souls are at this very moment going down into a far blacker hell of destruction than the one down there under that fated hridge, and the community is not horrified over it. How many mass meetings have been held in this town within the last 25 years over the losses of long outnumbered the victims of this late whysical disaster a thousandfold.

"And what does mere death do? It **deleases** the spirit from its house of Firth, but aside from that death does **Lothing to the person.** But what does Aife do? Life does everything. It prepares for heaven or for hell. It starts impulses, molds character, fixes charend. Death is only the last enemy of the many enemies that life knows. not. Death is a second; life is an eternity. truly believe, this is the last opportunity I shall have to speak to you in

and save men.

was the cause of the accident. What was the cause of that drunkenness? The drinking habits of that inspector. How did be acquire them? In a saloon which we taxpayers allow to run among you. I am, by the grace of God, on payment of a certain sum of money into our own treasury.

"So, then, it was the greed or selfishness of the men of this town which lies at the bottom of this dreadful disaster. Who was to blame for the disaster? The track inspector? No. The No. Who then? We ourselves, my brothers; we who licensed the selling of the stuff which turned a man's brain into liquid fire and smote his judgment and reason with a brand from out the burning pit.

"If I had stumbled upon the three corpses of my own children night before last, I could have exclaimed in justice before the face of God, 'I have murdered my own children,' for I was one of the men of Barton to vote for the license which made possible the drunkenness of the man in whose care were placed hundreds of lives.

"For what is the history of this case? Who was this wretched track inspector? A man who, to my own knowledge, trembled before temptation; who, on the testimony of the foreman at the shops, was and always had been a sober man up to the time when we as a municipality voted to replace the system of no license with the saloon for the sake of what we thought was a necessary revenue. This man had no great temptation to drink while the saloon was out of the way. Its very absence was his salvation. But its public open return confronted his I owe to my own kindred. I am aware appetite once more, and he yielded and

"Who says he was to blame? Who I know that more than one bleeding are the real criminals in the case? We heart is in this house, and the shadow oursely selectivens; we who, for the of the last enemy has fallen over many, greed of gain, for the saving of that thresholds in our town. What! Did which has destroyed more souls in hell I not enter into the valley of the shad than any other one thing, made possiow of death myself as I stumbled over ble the causes which led to the grief the ghastly ruins of that wreek, my and trouble of this hour. Would we soul torn in twain for the love of three not shrink in terror from the thought of my own dear children? Do I not of lying in wait to kill a man? Would ympathize in full with all those who we not repel with holy horror the idea by terly weep and lament and sit in of murdering and maining 75 people? We would say 'Impossible." Yet when but, men of Barton, why is it that we I am ushered at last into the majestic are so moved, so stirred, so shocked, by presence of Almighty God I feel convinced I shall see in his righteous countenance the sentence of our condemnation just as certainly as if we had gone out in a body and by wicked eraft had torn out the supporting timbers of that bridge just before the softly in the presence of the visitor train thundered upon it, for did we not sanction by law a business which we know tempts men to break all the laws, which fills our jails and poorhouses, our reformatories and asylums. which breaks women's hearts and beggars blessed homes and sends innocent children to thread the paths of shame and vagrancy, which brings pallor into the face of the wife and tosses with the devil's own glee a thousand vic-

"Men of Barton, say what we will, we are the authors of this dreadful disest of paragraphs the statement that aster. And if we sorrow as a community we sorrow in reality for our of ours had been arrested for forging own selfish act. And, oh, the selfishness of it! That clamoring greed for money! That burning thirst for more "And every day in this town and in and more and more at the expense of every town all over the world events every godlike quality, at the ruin of all that our mothers once prayed might belong to us as men and women!

"What is it, ye merchants, ye business men, here tonight that ye struggle most over? The one great aim of your lives is to buy for as little as possible and sell for as much as possible. What care have ye for the poor, who work at worse than starvation wages, so long as ye can buy cheap and sell at large character, the death of purity, the de- profits? What is the highest aim of struction of honesty? Yet they have us railroad men in the great whirl of commercial competition which seethes and boils and surges about this earth like another atmosphere, plainly visible to the devils of other worlds?

"What is our aim but to make money our god and power our throne? How much care or love is there for flesh and blood at times when there is danger of losing almighty dollars? But, O Alacter. Death has no kingdom without | mighty Saviour, it was not for this that we were made! We know it was

"To whom am I speaking? To my-O men, brothers, if, as I solemnly and | self. God forbid that I should stand here to condemn you, being myself the chief of sinners for these 25 years. such large numbers, I desire you to What have I done to bless this comremember, when I have vanished from munity? How much have I cared for your sight, that I spent nearly my last the men in my employ? What differbreath in an appeal to you to make ence did it make to me that my examthe most of daily life, to glorify God | ple drove men away from the church of Christ and caused anguish to those "The greatest enemy of man is not few souls who were trying to redeem death: it is selfishness. He sits on the | humanity? To my just shame I make throne of the entire world. This very answer that no one thing has driven disaster which has filled the town with the engine of my existence over the sofrow was due to selfishness. Let us track of its destiny except self. And. see if that is not so. It has been prov- oh, for that church of Christ that I ed by investigation already made that professed to believe in! How much shall revolutionize this town in its

he greatest organization ever found. Mittle money on this occasion, it will do

"We go to church after reading the Sunday morning paper, saturated formation in the people of this nation. through and through with the same Nothing less than a complete regenerathings we have had poured into us every day of the week, as if we begrudged the whole of one day out of seven. We criticise prayer and hymn and sermon, drop into the contribution box half the amount we paid during the week for a theater or concert ticket and then when anything goes wrong in the community or our children fall into vice scorn the church for weakness and Eie preacher for lack of ability. Shame on us, men of Barton, mem-78 of the church of Christ, that we

membership of more than 400, living in y distance of the church, only 60 Eve attended regularly and over 200 have been to that service occasionally. Yet we call ourselves disciples of Christ! We say we believe in his blessed teachings; we say we believe in prayer, and in the face of all these professions we turn our backs with in-

itual growth and power which the

church places within our reach. "If Christ were to come to the earth today, he would say unto us, 'Woe unto you, church members, hypocrites!" He would say unto us, 'Woe unto you, saloon keeper who sold him the liquor? young disciples in name, who have promised to love and serve me and then, ashamed of testifying before me, have broken promise and prayer and ridicule those who have kept their vows sacredly! He would say to us men who have made money and kept it to ourselves: 'Woe unto you, ye rich men, who dress softly and dine lux-



poor cry aloud for judgment and the laborer sweats for the luxury of the idle! Woe unto you who speculate in flesh and blood and call no man brother unless he lives in as fine a house and has as much money in the bank! Therefore ye shall receive the greater condemnation!

"O self, god of the earth yet! With 2,000 years of the Son of God written into its history, still goes up the cry of those who perish with hunger, who break into the sanctuary of their souls because they cannot get work to do and are weary of the struggle of existence. Self, thou art king, not Jesus Christ, But, oh, for the shame of it, the shame of it! Were it not for the belief in the mighty forgiveness of sins would stand here tonight with no hope of ever seeing the paradise of God. But, resting in that hope, I wish to say to you who have beheld the example of my selfish life I repudiate it all. In the world I have passed as a moral citizen and a good business man: in society there has been no objection to my presence on account of my wealth and position; in the church I have been tolerated because I gave it financial support, but in the sight of that perfect and crucified Lamb of God I have broken the two greatest laws which he ever announced. I have been a sinner of the deepest dye; I have been everything except a disciple of Jesus Christ. I have prayed for mercy. I believe my prayer has been answered.

"I am conscious that some here present may think that what I have said has been in poor taste; that it has been an affront to the object of the meeting or an insult to the feelings of those who have called the audience together. In order that the people may know that I am sincere in all I have said I will say that I have placed in the bank the sum of \$10,000 to be used as the committee may deem wisest and best in the education of children in bereaved homes or in any way that shall be for the best good of those in need This money is God's. I have robbed him and my brother man all these years. Whatever restitution I can make in the next few days I desire to

"But the great question with us all, my friends, is not this particular disaster. That will in time take its place as one event out of thousands in the daily life of this world. The great event of existence is not death; it is life. And the great question of the world is not the tariff nor the silver question nor the labor question nor temperance nor this now that nor the other. The great question of the whole world is selfishness in the heart of man. The great command is, 'Seek ye first the kingdom of God.' If we had done that in this town, I believe such a physical disaster as the one we lament would never have happened. That is our great need.

"If we go home from this meeting resolved to rebuke our selfishness in whatever form it is displeasing to God. and if we begin tomorrow to act out package. Sold by all grocers. that resolution in word and deed, we the drunkenness of a track inspector have I done for that? How much, O business, its politics, its church, its

ne and the community little permanent good. God wants a complete transtion can save us from destruction. Un-

consecrated, selfish money and selfish education, selfish political power and selfish genius in art, letters and diplomacy will sink us as a people into a gulf of annihilation. There is no salvation for us except in Jesus Christ. Let us believe in him and live in him. "I have said my message. I trust

you have understood it. I would not say otherwise if I knew that I should step off this platform now and stand before the judgment sent of Christ. have so neglected our own church God help us all to do our duty! Time prayer meeting that out of a resident is short; eternity is long. Death is nothing; life is everything."

Five years after this speech of Rob ert Hardy to the people of Barton in the town hall one who was present in the audience described the sensation that passed through it when the speaker sat down to be like a distinct electric shock which passed from seat to seat and held the people fixed and difference on the very means of spir- breathless as if they had been smitten

ly stirred the audience, and without a word of dismissal they poured out of the building and scattered to their homes.

ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS,

Robert found George waiting for him. The father was almost faint with the reaction from his address. George gave his arm, and the two walked home in silence

We must pass over hastily the events of the next day in Robert Hardy's life. uriously and live in palaces, while the The whole town was talking about his surprising address of the night before. Some thought he was crazy. Others regarded him as sincere, but after the first effect of his speech had worn off they criticised him severely for presuming to "preach" on such an oceasion. Still others were puzzled to account for the change in the man, for that a change had taken place could not be denied. How slow men are to acknowledge the power of God in the human heart! Mr. Hardy went about his business very little moved by all this discussion. He realized that only two more days remained.

He spent the afternoon and evening at home, but was interrupted by several calls. After tea the entire family gathered in the room where Clara lay. She still remained unconscious, but living. As Mrs. Hardy was saying something to her husband about his dre m and the events of the day before C! ra suddenly opened her eyes and distinctly called out the words: "Father, what day is it?"

It was like a voice out of the long dead past. Mr. Hardy, sitting by the side of the bed, replied quietly, while his heart beat quickly:

"This is Friday night, dear child." Another question came, uttered in

the same strange voice: "Father, how many more days a left for you?"

"Tomorrow and Sunday." The voice came again:

"I shall go with you then."

The eyes closed, and the form be came motionless, as before.

It was very quiet in the room at the close of Robert Hardy's fifth day.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

JEWS HAVE FESTIVAL DAY. Celebrate the Purim Feast, Marking

Anniversary of Ahasuerus' Order Saving the Race, Jews celebrated the Purim feast

the other day. It marks the anniver sary of King Ahasuerus' order reseinding the edict for the killing of the dews and overthrowing the plans of Haman for the destruction of the race. Through the efforts of Esther the king issued the order, and gave the Jews permission to defend themselves when attacked.

The race was preserved by this or der, and the people have celebrated it ever since, covering a period of 2,400 years. The celebration has not the religious sentiment which marks so many of the Jewish holidays. In ancient times the anniversary was celebrated by giving dances, especially masquerades, and this custom has been continued to a large extent by thousands of Jews. One of the prescribed customs is for the assembling of the family in the morning and evening, when the Book of Esther is read and there is a general exchange of presents. It generally is made the merriest of the Jewish holidays, marking, as it does, the preservation of the Jews.

Tough on the Negro.

All "male negroes" must be off the streets of Tampa, Fla., at ten p. m This seems arbitrary and tyrannical. If they try to go home through the allevs, says the Chicago Tribune, somebody will shoot at them.

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COCIETY AND PERSONAL

John Bisbee is in town. S. C. Traverse is in the city from Northfield, Conn.

Miss Carrie Rathburn, of Chicago, is the guest of friends here. Mrs. Selders of Rockford, Ind., is

risiting her brother, H. M. Brown. Frank B. Michael who has been very ll for two weeks past, was able to be down town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Unton and children of Battle Creek are tne guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Upton, 184 Brunson avenue.

F. R. Gilson and wife, who have been on a southern and western trip for several weeks past, are expected to ar-

South Bend, where he delivered his series of lectures on "Purity." After Easter Mr. Beem will give the series of Loady, Pastor. Dranghton Mr. Beem will give the series of Loady, Pastor. Dranghton Loady, Pastor. Dranghton

Roy Wallace, Allan Silvers, Lester Farnum. George Johnson and Sam Brunson to to Kankakee marsh next Monday to hunt. They expect to stay about two weeks.

Mrs. John T. Owens and Mrs. J. N Reed eft this morning for Indianapolis, where they will spend Sunday. The ladies are members of a committee which will have charge of the decorasearch of ideas.

The annual banquet of the Ossoli

ociety will be held this year at Hotel Benton For several years the banjuets have been held at the Whitcomb in St. Joseph and there was a spirited contest between the members favoring each hotel. The vote stood, 18 for the Benton, and 9 for the Whitcomb. The meeting yesterday afternoon was held at the home of Mrs. Monroe H. Morrow. The subject for the afternoon was "Literature." "What is the great lesson of history," was answered in response to roll call. The program was opened with a song by the club, "Ossoli, my Ossoli," written by Mrs. Sessions. The first paper was by Mrs. Gore, "History of the Rublyat." "Concrast Persian Poetry with that of the Victorian Era," Mrs. Reed. Instru-mental solo by Miss Florence Hoffman. Review, "Our Dead Selves,"Mrs. Cole. Reading, extracts from "Our Dead Selves," Mrs. Watson.

Vocal solo by Mrs. Baitinger. Sacredness of Self, read by Miss May Bisbee for her mother.

Reading from the Rubiyat, by Mrs. Thresher in costume, with a piano accompaniment by Mrs. Ashman. .. The program was considered one of the finest of the year.

The club will be addressed by Dr. George J. Edgeumbe, subject, "Geology" to be given at the college, Saturday afternoon, March 31.

Following is the club song written by Mrs. F. W. Sessions referred to above:

Ossoli, My Ossoli. [Tune-"Michigan, My Michigan."] Vith tunoful voice of thee I sing. Ossoli, my Osso i. And loving tribute to thee bring Os ol¹, my Osaoli. I'll wake the echoes for and near With praises for thy name so dear

And ties of friendship cherished here, Ossoli, my Ossoli. With history and literature Ossoli, my Ossoli. With music, science, art so pure. Ossoli, n y Ossoli I enter wisdom's open door

To glean from truth a goodly store And at thy bidding seek still more. Ossoli, my Ossoli. Then may thy fame be ever bright. Ossoli, my Ossoli, And to each member bring delight.

Ossoli, my Ossoli. Oh may sweet praises loud re-ound And to thy glory long redound Wherever women's clubs are found, Ossoli, my Ossoli.

March 23, 19.0. Miss Jessie Tibbs very pleasantly

entertained the S. G. H. M. Friday evening. The Misses Lila Herr and Clara Field rendered several piano selections and a most delightful evening was spent.

Lydia Bakeman's friends and teacher, Miss Barnum, surprised her last evening, it being her twelfth birthday. Beautiful presents were given to her.

ST. JOSEPH.

Capt. Henry Riso leaves for South Chicago today.

RICE AND A RUNAWAY.

Unexpected Incident Follows Marringe of Judge Freeman's Daughter.

A handful of rice sent Henry Coe Culbertson and his bride of a few hours, the daughter of Judge Freeman, away on their wedding journey behind a team of runaway horses at Chicago the other night. Before the flighty animals had been brought to a halt wagon loads of police had taken up the chase and the air was full of whizzing bullets and flying hats.

Miss Mabel D. Freeman was married to Mr. Culbertson, of Cincinnati, in the evening at the home of her parents, 5760 Woodlawn avenue. When the last good-by had been said the couple enthe door to bear them away. One of store by building up the system. the guests, in evening attire, was on the box with the coachman instructing him as to the destination, and some merrymaker hurled a handful of rice after the departing couple. The small particles struck the horses, and in an instant they were racing down the street, completely beyond the control

of the driver. A policeman tried to stop the team by shooting off his revolver, and then a patrol wagon was sent out to intercept them. At Thirty-ninth street the horses were checked.

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UNIVERSALIST CHURCH-Rev. A. K. Beem. pastor; residence 181 Lake avenue. M rning subject, "Atheism." Y. P. C. U at 6 o'c ock lead by John DeBoer. Subject, "My Favorite Character of the Bible and why." Usual even-

A, M. E. CHUBCH J. W Saunders, pastor. Preaching at 19:39. Subject, "The Burning Bush." 7:70 pm, "The Only Foundation." Class meeting at 2 noon. Sunday school at 12:30. Prayermeeting at 6:30 p. m.

FIRST M. F. CHURCH—Rev. W. I. Cogshall, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a m. Pulpit services at 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior league at 3:00 p. m. Epworth league at 6:15 p. m.

RESCUE MISSION—Services as follows: Sunday school at 3 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. Also meet ugs every evening through the week

PRESETTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. E. A. Hoff-min, pastor Preaching at 10:30 and 7 Y. M. C. A.-Men's meeting tomorrow afternion at 30'clock. Address by Rev. C. E. Max-field.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, lowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so tame he could tion of the walls of the First Methodist | not stoop without great pain, nor sit in church and they are making the trip in a chair except propped by cushions. search of ideas.

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MAIL TUBES VS. AUTOS.

The Former Makes the Use of the Horseless Wagons an Unnecessary Adjunct.

In view of the post office department's possible extension of the mail tube service to the principal centers of Brooklyn, Postmaster General Wilson is not so favorably disposed at present to the proposed use of locomobiles for carrying the local mails about the bor-

Brooklyn should be put into operation only letter deliveries would be necessary. The arrangement of the tubes would be such that a letter dropped in the box would automatically fall into the receiving tube and be carried to the main office.

Out of the Public Eye.

Alluding to her as Queen Lil is an indirect method, says the Sioux City Journal, of telling the public that you have forgotten how to spell the balance

Retort Courteous.

ing News.

Ho-Girls are queer creatures-they marry the first fool that asks them. I suppose you would do the same, wouldn't you? She-Ask me and see.-Chicago Even-

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Borum (flattered)-Are you, really? would have been 13 at table."-- Chicago Evening News.

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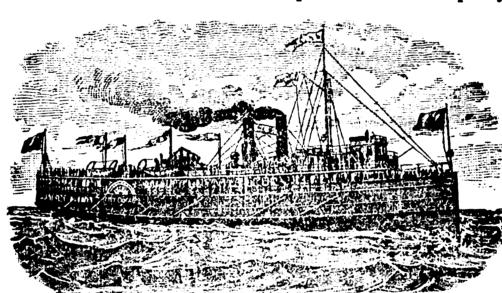
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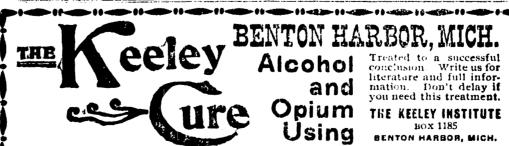
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